

**SHIAWASSEE COUNTY COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH AUTHORITY**  
**POLICY AND PROCEDURE MANUAL**

Section: Clinical  
Policy Number: 38  
Subject: **Emergency Medical Treatment**

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**Policy**

It is the policy of the Shiawassee County Community Mental Health Authority (SCCMHA) that should a medical emergency arise, the following will apply - first aid, basic life support (CPR), placement of a phone call to 911, and emergency transfer to a local emergency room.

**Purpose**

To establish guidelines for persons requiring emergency medical treatment.

**Application**

Any agency staff involved in the treatment of consumers who require emergency treatment.

**Compliance**

External: JCAHO Standard PC.9.20

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